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 To: [Robert Landry](#)
 Cc: [Travis, Pamela](#); [Quinones, Edwin](#)
 Subject: Re: Lard Oil Spill Denham Springs - EPA authorization form - (b) (6)
 Date: Thursday, August 25, 2016 12:06:15 PM

Mr. Landry - Thank you for contacting me. The Access Agreement (b) (6) signed is for EPA officers, employees, contractors and authorized representatives of the United States EPA. PPM Associates was hired by the RP of the Lard Oil spill, to conduct the cleanup and doesn't meet that description. That is why they acquired their own access agreement. I do not see a need to list people or companies not included, when it clearly defines who is included.

The results to any sample taken will be available to the (b) (6). I can include that in a new Agreement if that is their wish.

Currently, plans have not been finalized to remove soil, so the only soil that would be removed would be a sample, if a soil sample is taken.

At this point, it appears the oil drum on the (b) (6) property is from a business across Florida Street. To document this, we would need to sample the drum.

Let me know if your clients decides to allow us access.

Respectfully,

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Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 24, 2016, at 5:39 PM, Robert Landry <rlandry@landryfirm.com> wrote:

Dear On-Scene Coordinator Smalley,

As I mentioned during our discussion on Sunday, I was unaware at that time that EPA had been providing an access consent form to homeowners.

I represent the (b) (6) who reside on (b) (6) in the affected area.

The (b) (6) along with my other clients want to facilitate the work of the EPA is much as possible, particularly given the environmental problems in the area in question. We want to work together with you to address these problems as quickly as possible.

To that end, I would like to request that three minor additions be included on the form so that my clients can sign the form promptly:

- this form does not include access by Lard Oil



- representatives or PPM;
- any testing report data will be provided to the homeowner;
- and
- all removed dirt or other material removed will be logged and a record of such will be provided to the homeowner.

If we can add these these three items on the authorization form for EPA, I will have no problem directing my clients -(b) (6) and others- to sign off on it. Please let me know whether this is agreeable.

Also please be advised that regarding PPM, on behalf of my clients, I have sent a letter to PPM and Lard Oil asking for information and their remediation plan in writing. I am hoping to receive their response shortly and I look forward to working together cooperatively with them to address these issues.

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